

State of South Dakota

EIGHTY-SECOND SESSION LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 2007

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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14

Introduced by: Senators Kloucek, Jerstad, Katus, Koetzle, and Maher and Representatives Lucas, Miles, and Sigdestad

1 A JOINT RESOLUTION, To propose a constitutional amendment to combine the offices of
2 state treasurer and state auditor into the single office of state comptroller.

3 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA, THE HOUSE
4 OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN:

5 Section 1. That at the next general election held in the state, the following amendment to
6 Article IV, section 7 of the Constitution of the State of South Dakota, as set forth in section 2
7 of this Joint Resolution, which is hereby agreed to, shall be submitted to the electors of the state
8 for approval.

9 Section 2. That Article IV, section 7 of the Constitution of the State of South Dakota, be
10 amended to read as follows:

11 § 7. There shall be chosen by the qualified electors of the state at the general election of the
12 Governor and every four years thereafter the following constitutional officers: attorney general,
13 secretary of state, ~~auditor, treasurer,~~ comptroller, and commissioner of school and public lands,
14 who shall severally hold their offices for a term of four years. Commencing with the 1992
15 general election, no person may be elected to more than two consecutive terms as attorney



1 general, secretary of state, auditor, treasurer, or commissioner of school and public lands.